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Hi Doug, We've been having some focused meetings with Martin Hestmark regarding the Upper Animas site, and we're trying to put together a long-term strategy for managing all aspects of the site. Once we have a general outline of this strategy, we will want to bring the state into the discussions to work out the details. I know that you have had Craig participating in the ARSG meetings and that he has been the point of contact for Mike Holmes and now Paula Schmittdiel, but I also know that he will be retiring in a couple of months. Given the long-term nature of these discussions, could you let me know if you want me to invite Craig to these meetings or just you or you and someone else?

Thanks,

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